



In re the Application of:
 TSUGANE et al.
 Serial No. 09/759,666
 Filed: January 13, 2001
 For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES AND METHODS
 FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME

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Group Art Unit: 2813

Examiner: Schillinger, L.

Case Docket No. 15.29/5629 ¹AF 1283

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an After Final Amendment in the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

It is believed that no additional fee is required.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sirs:

Applicant has filed a Notice of Appeal with the Office. The Notice of Appeal was mailed to the Office on March 16, 2004, which was three months after the December 16, 2003 mailing date of the Final Office Action. Please enter and consider the following.

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